
INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE DAY @ FASS

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**8 September 2011
Thursday 10 am – 5pm**

SEP Information and Briefing for FASS Students

1. Should you go for SEP?
2. Are you eligible for SEP?
3. Can you afford to go on SEP?
4. How to increase your chances to go on SEP?
5. What modules should you read on SEP?
6. Who should you talk to plan your modules?

Tune in for this very exciting episode with brand new programmes where all will be revealed.

Venue: LT 11

Date/Time: 19 September 2011 Monday
6.30 To 8.00 pm

P/S: The Email announcement is in your inbox!!!

Who Are Our Partners?

Faculty Level Partners

The Americas

- University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, College of Arts and Sciences
(Undergraduate Exchange agreement and Joint Degree Programme)
- Harvard-Yenching Institute
(Joint Scholarship for PhD Studies)
- University of Utah, College of Social and Behavioral Science
(Graduate Exchange Agreement)
- University of Toronto
(Joint Minor Programme)
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Asia and Australasia

- Australian National University, Faculty of Asian Studies, College of Business and Economics
(Joint Degree Programmes-BA Hon in Actuarial Studies and Economics and MA in Southeast Asian Studies)
- The University of Melbourne, Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences
(Joint Degree Programme- MA in Clinical Psychology)
- Tokyo University, College of Arts and Sciences
(Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)
- Hokkaido University
(Undergraduate and Graduate Exchange Agreement)
- Tokyo University of Foreign Studies
(Undergraduate and Graduate Exchange, MOU for research cooperation and exchange of staff)
- Rikkyo University
(Undergraduate and Graduate Agreement, General MOU for research collaboration)
- Ritsumeikan University
(Graduate and Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)
- Peking University, School of Graduate Studies
(Double Degree Programme- MA in Chinese Language)
- University of Hong Kong, Faculty of Social Sciences
(Undergraduate and Graduate Exchange Agreement)
- National Chiao Tung University, Taiwan
(Undergraduate and Graduate Exchange Agreement)
- Vietnam National University, Ho Chi Minh
(Undergraduate and Graduate Exchange Agreement, MOU for research cooperation and exchange of staff and students)
- Vietnam National University, Hanoi, College of Social Sciences and Humanities
(Undergraduate and Graduate Exchange Agreement)
- Ritsumeikan University
(Undergraduate Agreement and General MOU for research collaboration)

- [Ateneo de Manila University, School of Humanities and School of Social Sciences](#)
(Undergraduate and Graduate Exchange Agreement)
- [Khon Kaen University, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences](#)
(Undergraduate and Graduate Exchange Agreement)

Europe

- [King's College, University of London](#)
(Undergraduate Exchange and Joint PhD Programme)
- [University of Edinburgh](#)
(Joint PhD Programme)
- [University of Manchester, Faculty of Humanities](#)
(PhD Exchange Agreement)
- [University of Lancaster](#)
(Graduate Exchange Agreement)
- [Humboldt University of Berlin](#)
(Graduate Exchange Agreement)
- [Erasmus University Rotterdam](#)
(Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)
- [Georg-August University of Göttingen](#)
(Undergraduate and Graduate Exchange Agreement)
- [Ernst Moritz Arndt University of Greifswald](#)
(Undergraduate and Graduate Exchange)
- [Lund University](#)
(Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)
- [University of Copenhagen](#)
(Summer School Agreement)

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Chulalongkorn University (Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)

[Department of Japanese Studies](#)

Kwansei Gakuin University (Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)

Akita International University (Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)

[Southeast Asian Programme](#)

University of Gadjah Mada Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)

[Department of Economics](#)

Stockholm School of Economics

Lund University, School of Economics and Management

[Department of English Language and Literature](#)

Loughborough University (Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)

Department of Geography

University College London (Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)

Loughborough University (Undergraduate Exchange Agreement)

ESTIMATED LIVING COSTS

USA

Exchange rate: US\$1 = S\$1.21

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Cost of Living for AY2011/2012 per academic year

	On or Off Campus
Out-of-State	
Room	5,520
Board	3,950
Books/Supplies	1,150
Travel (Home)	1,404
Health Insurance	926
Personal	1,329
Total	\$12,950

Source: http://studentaid.unc.edu/studentaid/cost/ssa_ug_general.html

About These Costs

These costs have been developed as guides to help students anticipate their costs at UNC Chapel Hill. Some students will spend more than the typical amounts, others less, depending on individual lifestyles and circumstances.

AUSTRALIA

Exchange rate: AUD \$1 = S\$1.28

Australia National University

Cost of Living for 2010 for the academic year

Cost in AUD

Excluding tuition fees, we estimate your weekly living expenses will be:

	Self-catered	Apartment Style	Fully catered	Off campus
Rent (includes power and water)	162+	209	313	200
Food*	120	120		120
Public Transport**	15	15	15	15
Photocopying, textbooks, stationery*	20	20	20	20
Entertainment*	28	28	28	28
Phone, Internet*	15	15	15	15

Incidentals	20	20	20	20
Health Cover***	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3
TOTAL per year	\$20, 140	\$22, 584	\$21, 752	\$22, 116

This is an approximation only and does not include the cost of buying clothing, medicine and the like.

+ Based on weekly rent at Fenner Hall (Nov.2009) for a furnished single room with share bathroom and share kitchen facilities.

* Based on "Final Report of the Survey of International Students' spending in Australia", University of QLD Social Research Centre, July 2005.

This does not include mobile phone costs.

** Based on cost of a weekly concession bus ticket in 2010.

*** Based on 2009 annual cost of compulsory Overseas Student Health Cover provided by Worldcare Assist. Source: http://info.anu.edu.au/studyat/International_Office/getting_in/_costofliving.asp

CHINA

Exchange rate: RMB \$100 = S\$18.87

Zhejiang University

Estimated Cost of Living for 2010 for the academic year

Monthly Expenses	RMB
Accommodation	1,500 Deposit: 800 for electrical & water expenses
Food	450 to 1,000
Personal Expenses (such as laundry, sundries & local transportation)	500 to 1,000
Academic Expenses e.g. book (per semester)	400
Others	Internet access: 50
Total (per semester, approximately 5 months)	12,700 to 17,950

Source: <http://www.nus.edu.sg/iro/partners/aa/china/zju.html>

EUROPE

Exchange rate: Euro €1 = S\$1.71

Sciences Po, France

Estimated monthly cost of living for Sciences Po students for 2010

	Paris
Accommodation	600 €
Food	250-300€
Socialising and excursions	100 - 150€
Transport	If you have a carte ImaginR (for under 25's) between 30.40€/month (zones 1-2) and 66.76€/month (zones1-5); if you take another option: between 43 and 53€/month

Source: <http://www.sciences-po.fr/portail/fr-fr/international/preparer-votre-arrivee-a-sciences-po/cout-de-la-vie-et-infos-pratiques.html>

Exchange rate: GBP £1 = S\$1.95

King's College London, UK

Cost of Living for 2010 for the academic year

As a student, you need to ensure that you have sufficient funds not only for your fees, but for accommodation, food, travel, books and other living expenses. This section is intended as a guideline only and living costs will vary according to your own circumstances and lifestyle. Students should assume that the estimated living expenses given below represent a guide to the sum required to live in reasonable comfort in London.

Single student: £10,555

As part of visa requirements, if you are a non-EEA student you must ensure that you have sufficient funds for fees and maintenance for your whole period of study.

Source: <http://www.kcl.ac.uk/campuslife/london/budget.aspx#Estimatedcosts>

Lund University

Exchange rate: SEK 100 = S\$18.72

Cost of Living for 2010 for the academic year

An estimated cost of more comfortable living per month for a student in Sweden could be:

- Food SEK 2,300
- (Accommodation SEK 3,000) is included in the program fee.
- Course literature SEK 1,000
- Transportation approx. SEK 500
- Other: Clothing, telephone, leisure etc SEK 1,500

Sum = SEK 7,800 +/- SEK700

Source: <http://www.euroscholars.eu/universities/LundPractical.htm>

Important Links and Resources

SEP @ FASS

<http://www.fas.nus.edu.sg/intl/underGradStuExch.html>

FAQs for SEP

http://www.fas.nus.edu.sg/intl/special_prog/sepfaq.html

OEPs @ FASS

<http://www.fas.nus.edu.sg/intl/underGradOverseasEdu.html>

IRO

<http://www.nus.edu.sg/iro/>